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THE PRESIDENT'S DAILY BRIEF

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1. Congo

Van Der Walle's forces are still tied up in Stanleyville. Rebel resistance continues in the northeast.

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The new Sudanese Government has decided to help and has given rebel leaders refuge.

2. South Vietnam

Buddhists defied the government order limiting the size of their funeral march today, but troops kept them in line. Chau has again threatened an all-out campaign unless there are drastic government changes. The High National Council has publicly recommended a cabinet reshuffle "when the situation permits."

3. Algeria-USSR

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4. Dominican Republic

Coup rumors are flying and the triumvirate is under heavy fire from several sides for economic bungling. A general strike, supported by political and business leaders as well as labor, is scheduled for Wednesday.

5. Afghanistan -
Communist China

King Zahir has accepted Peiping's offer of a development loan of \$28 million, which will probably involve a sizable number of Chinese technicians. details will be negotiated early next year.

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6. UK-France-US

Ambassador Bohlen believes that if the UK-French "Concorde" transport project breaks down, Paris may seek US help. A decision may come soon.

7. Communist World

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8. Iran

Prime Minister Mansur, since taking over last March, has been unable to halt Iran's economic decline. His austerity measures, increasingly unpopular, have provoked a rash of strikes. The Shah probably sees his own prestige in jeopardy as a result and may soon jettison Mansur.

9. USSR-
Scandinavia

The prime ministers of Denmark, Norway, and Sweden have accepted Soviet invitations to visit Moscow in return for Khrushchev's travels earlier this year. The Soviets want an early date, presumably in order to make their case on the MLF and Article 19.

10. Indonesia-
Malaysia

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11. France

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